



PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For:	"METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR	)	Date: April 28, 2005
	DISCOVERING A TRUST CHAIN	)	
	IMPARTING A REQUIRED	)	Re: <i>Final Office Action</i>
	ATTRIBUTE TO A SUBJECT"	)	

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

In connection with the Appeal Brief and Notice of Appeal filed concurrently herewith in connection with the above identified patent application, Applicant further submits this Amendment after Final Action pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.116. Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.